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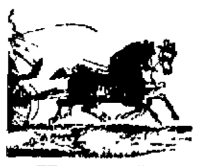

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J. R. RACE & CO.,

MERCHANT TAILORS

Have just received an Immense Stock of

FALL & WINTER CASSIMERES,

CLOTHS, VESTINGS, OVERCOATINGS,

and other Piece Goods, which they are prepared to make up to order in the BEST STYLE, and GUARANTEE SATISFATION.

TWO FIRST-CLASS CUTTERS!

As good as can be found anywhere, are constantly employed, and customers can have their choice.

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Our Ready-made

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT!

Is full of the Latest Styles of Goods, which will be sold at lower prices than ever before.

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In Furnishing Goods!

Our Stock is large and complete, embracing the LATEST NOVELTIES.

Plain Unlaundried Shirts,........ ....from 75c to $1.25.
Best Laundried Shirts in town,............. ...... $1.00 to 2.25.

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Fall Styles of

Silk and Soft Hats!

JUST RECEIVED.

Trunks, Valises and Traveling Bags,

In Endless Variety.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Aug 10, 1877—d&wtf

UNITED STATES MAIL.

ILLINOIS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, Sept 1st, 1877.

Proposals will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 3 o'clock p. m. of October 31st, 1877, (to be decided by November 10th,) for carrying the mails of the United States from January 1st, 1878 to June 30th, 1879 on the following route in the State of Illinois, and by the schedule of departures and arrivals herein specified (viz: SERVICE JAN 1, 1878, TO JUNE 30, 1879.

2177 From Tonlon by Elmira, to Osceola, 11 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Toulon Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 12 m.
Arrive at Osceola by 3 p. m.
Leave Osceola Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1 30 p. m.
Arrive at Toulon by 6 30 p. m.
Bond required with bid, $300

2[illegible] From Pontiac, by Sannemin, Rogers (n. o.), and Sullivan Centre, to Sugar Loaf, 20 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Pontiac Monday and Friday at 10 a. m.;
Arrive at Sugar Loaf by 8 p. m.;
Leave Sugar Loaf Tuesday and Saturday at 8 a. m.;
Arrive at Pontiac by 4 p. m.
Bond required with bid, $700

2319 From Chebanse, by Grant and Eldridgeville, to Cabery, 12½ miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Chebanse Tuesday and Friday at 8 a. m.;
Arrive at Cabery by 12 m.
Leave Cabery Tuesday and Friday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Chebanse by 5 p. m.
Bond required with bid, $250.

For forms of proposal, bond, and certificate, and also for instructions as to the conditions to be embraced in the contract, &c., see advertisement of this date in pamphlet form, inviting proposals for mail service, to be found at the terminal postoffices of the above routes, to be had on application to the Second Assistant P. M. General. Bids should be sent in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Mailed Proposals, State of Illinois," and addressed to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

D. M. KEY, Postmaster General.

Sept. 7, 1877—dow 1mw

BOTTLED BEER

AND ALE

For Private Families.

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THE undersigned would respectfully inform his patrons and the public that he has enlarged his bottling works, and is now prepared to furnish and deliver to private families in any part of the city the following bottled goods at the lowest market prices:

Best Lager Beer, in pints and quarts bottles.

Best Milwaukee Export Beer, in pints and quarts.

Best Cleveland Champagne Ale, in pints and quarts.

Best XXX Toledo Porter, in quarts.

Best Ohio Rectified Cider (pure juice) in quarts.

Best Soda and Seltzer's Water always on hand.

Fountain Charging a Specialty.

Orders by mail from the city or country promptly attended to.

FRED. KUNY, Prop'r

Decatur Bottling Works, Corner Jackson and East Main streets.

P. O. Box 422 July9-d&w2m

Bryant's "New Improved" Reese's Patent Adjustable Stencil Letters are taking the place of all others. They can be formed into Solid Lines or used as Single Letters. REDUCED IN PRICE. [illegible] O. G. BRYANT, Sole Mfr, 105 Washington st, Chicago.

$39 Each week to Agents. Goods Staple, 10,000 testimonials received. Terms liberal. Particulars free. J. WORTH & CO., St Louis Mo.

GOLD! GOLD! GOLD!

(though hard to get and slippery to hold,) is the ONE THING NEEDFUL. Say, friend, have you got it? If not, you will find comfort and consolation by taking the Old Reliable Hannibal & St Joseph R. R, *on route* to the SAN JUAN MINES of Colorado and New Mexico, or to the BLACK HILLS. Rich discoveries have recently been made in the above mining regions, showing that the DUST IS THERE, and free to all for the taking. The undersigned is prepared to furnish transportation for LARGE OR SMALL parties through to CUSTER CITY OR DEADWOOD, either via Omaha or Denver, at the lowest possible rates. For the Black Hills buy tickets only to Cheyenne, and *fit out* for the mines from there. For San Juan, ticket to Pueblo or El Moro.

For further information apply to
J. BECKWITH, Agent,
Or to T. PENFIELD, Quincy, Ill.
G. P. & T. A., Hannibal, Mo.
Feb 28, 1877—dtf

TO THE SUFFERING.

Pains in *Back, Head, Heart, Lungs, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Rheumatic Gout, Nervous and Kidney Diseases*, positively cured by DR. FILTER'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY, *Kidney Cordial and Vegetable Liver Pills.* A Physician's specialty 43 years. Never fails when taken as directed.

DR. A. J. STONER, Ag't for Decatur.

Nov. 22, 76 dly

TIME CARD

—FOR—

STREET CARS.

Leave Old Square at ..... 5:30, 7 07, 7:30 A. M
And every 30 minutes up to 10 30 P. M.
For morning trains going North and West will leave Old Square at 5 00 A. M
For early morning train West will leave .... 2 [illegible]
Leave Depot...... 6 30, 7:00, 7:30 A. M
And every 30 minutes until 11:00 P. M

From 9 a. m. until 4 p. m. a car will leave each end of the route every 15 minutes

Baggage conveyed to and from the depot, and calls made in time for all trains if orders are left at Priest's Hotel in time to take cars.

Baggage to go on night or early morning trains must be delivered at Priest's Hotel by 9 o'clock p. m., or orders left for same by that time.

F. PRIEST,
President H. R'y and C Co.
May 21, 1873—dtf

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7:00 A. M.; Closes at 8 00 P. M. Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M. Money Order and Registering office open from 7:30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

For Terre Haute via I. M. R. R.	10 00 a. m
" East and Chicago via T., W. & W.	10 40 a. m
" West and St. Louis way	11 30 a. m
" Peoria via I. M. R. R.	11 30 a. m
" East via I. D. & S. R. R.	1 00 p. m
" Monticello and Champaign	1 00 p. m
" Iowa and Illinois north of Forreston	2 00 p. m
" Pekin via P., L. & D. R. R.	2 00 p. m
" South via I. C. R. R.	6 40 p. m
" St. Louis—through	7 45 p. m
" Chicago and Lafayette	7 15 p. m
" North via Ills. Cent. R. R.	7 15 p. m
" East, night mail	7 15 p. m

MAILS ARRIVE

From South and St. Louis	6 00 a. m
" Lafayette and East	6 00 a. m
" Peoria via I. M. R. R.	10 10 a. m
" Chicago and Dubuque R. R. Postoffice	10 10 a. m
" Pekin via P. L. & D. R. R.	10 10 p. m
" West and St. Louis	11 30 a. m
" Monticello & Champaign	11 30 a. m
" East and Chicago, T W & W.	12 15 p. m
" East via I., D. & S. R. R.	12 15 p. m
" Terre Haute, Sullivan and Mattoon	12 15 p. m
" North via Ill C. R. R.	7 00 p. m

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.
Decatur, Ill., June, 1, 1877.

ROPING RICHARDS.

The Winchester *Independent* of Saturday gives the following particulars of the lynching of Anderson Richards, last Tuesday:

By 9 o'clock the town was full of men, and at 10 o'clock the crowd demanded and, by force, took the keys of the jail from D. H. Gilson, jailor, notwithstanding he resisted to his utmost ability. Deputy Sheriff Howard took his stand at the jail door and forbid the infuriated crowd from entering the jail. He, however, was taken in charge and held until the jail doors were unlocked, when Mr. Truitt, the injured husband, and others, entered the jail, placed a rope around the negro's neck and led him out and started out of town with him, and in the pasture near the river road, one mile west of town, at about 10½ o'clock a. m., hoisted the prisoner at the end of the rope, and it over a limb, where he hung suspended in the air till about 12 m., at which time he was cut down and placed in a wagon and brought to town, put in a coffin and sent to the county farm and buried by A. C Brown. The number in attendance at the hanging was supposed to be 1,000. The prisoner was allowed ten minutes to talk, but he had but little to say, generally evading all proper questions. This is said not to be the first act of the kind, similar charges lay at his door at Jacksonville, where he formerly resided.

Everything about town in the afternoon of that day, was as quiet as a lamb. We heard of no one but expressed his or their assent at what had been done by the injured parties, or their friends. It was one of those cases wherein the law was not adequate in its punishment, and entirely too slow, even if the punishment by law had been adequate. It was an act of the people, therefore it was law and justice, made to overtake the guilty, while his crime was fresh before his eyes. Our county and people may be censured for this rash act, as it will be termed by some. We trust even should that be the case, that at least the good people of this section of country will appreciate the beneficial effect of this day's work inflicted upon such a brute.

The injured lady, Mrs. Truitt, is lying in a critical condition and fears are entertained that she may not survive the terrible shock.

QUIPS

Mrs. Hickman, of Hickman, Ky., has five pair of twins. She must be the original "Twinkle, twinkle, little star."

When the industrious farmer makes souse out of a pig's ears and ham out of his hind legs, he is literally making both ends meat

Minnie, the colored cadet, has arrived at West Point. It is to be hoped he will be favorably heard from there, and will not be the minimum of cadets.

Just see how contagious is the human desire to get something for nothing. Suleiman Pasha made such persistent efforts to get Schipka Pass that half his army became dead-heads.

Gen Howard got near enough to Joseph the other day to shake a tract at him, but that agile warrior immediately shook about 500 tracks in the face of his pursuer, and once more he is as seldom as ever.

"Tough fellows, these Turkish Generals," remarked Mr. Middlerib, in the South Hill street car the other day. "Of course," replied his friend, "they are all pachydermata." Then the driver came in and told the gentlemen there were ladies aboard and he couldn't permit any more such language.

The telegraph says "Osman Pasha is in an awkward position." He has probably got two thirds into his shirt before he has ascertained that it is buttoned at the neck.

Worth Its Weight in Gold.

Undoubtedly the greatest modern discovery in medicine is DaCosta's Radical Cure for dyspepsia, sick headache, sour stomach, costiveness, biliousness, loss of appetite, distress after eating, and all disorders caused by indigestion or a deranged liver. ITS RESULTS ARE ASTONISHING, and sure relief is guaranteed in every case where it is faithfully used. It tones up the stomach, regulates the liver, restores the natural appetite, strengthens the delicate and expels all morbid humors from the system. Typhoid and billous fever might, in almost every case, be prevented by its timely use. Trial size 25 cents.—A very few doses will relieve, and a little perseverance relieve you.

For sale by DR. A. J. STONER, Decatur.

Also agent for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup, which is sure death to worms. Pleasant to take and requires no physic. Price 25 cents. Try it.

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A Large Lot of new prints, at 6¼ cents, at Linn & Scruggs'.
Dec 19 d&wt

The Old Reliable Ft. Wayne Organ at **wholesale** prices, at P. T. Locke's Music Parlors. Aug. 20 d&w1

Keeler, the Hatter will close out a line of the best Colored Shirts in French Percale at *less than cost.* No humbug.—13 East Main st Aug29daw1m.

Read the new advertisement of S. Einstein in to-day's paper. Sep10d1w

GIVE US YOUR NAMES.

We wish to obtain the name and address of every lady who purchases goods in Decatur, and for that purpose have opened a Business Register for their signatures; and as an inducement to those who will favor us with their names we shall offer five prizes, as follows:

1st prize, 25 yards Best Black Silk, at $3.00 per yard.

2d prize, 25 yards Best Ingrain Carpet, at $1.00 per yard.

3d prize, Best Cloth Cloak, at $20.

4th prize, 15 yards Best Black Cash more, at $1 00 per yard.

5th prize, Best Corset and Kid Gloves we have.

The prizes will be put on exhibition during the month of September, the drawing to take place the first of January next.

The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and satisfaction to all. Every lady who has her name on our register will have one chance.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

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DURFEE'S ORCHARD

A Safe Place

To keep out of in future. By giving everybody apples who have taken the pains to ask for them, I have hoped in time people would quit breaking down and cutting holes in my hedge, which I am endeavoring to make ornamental as well as useful—but as even honest grangers and delicate females, in addition to damage done the fence, do not hesitate to carry off apples by the bag full—I have at length been compelled to adopt measures that may prove uncomfortable to fruit thieves; to whom, as well as everybody else not wishing to be classed with them, I give this kindly warning to keep out of my orchard, entirely; and if you have not 5 cents to buy of any fruit stand, all the apples you want to eat, call at my house and get them for the asking. And if you want to avoid trouble don't forget this invitation.

Aug28dtf H. B. DURFEE

WILKESBARRE, PA., Sept. 5, 1877.

F. B. CALDWELL, Indiana Coal Co —Dear Sir. We have, this day, shipped you 10 cars Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Lackawann Anthracite coal. Will ship ten more cars to-morrow. We received your order for fifty, cars and will ship as per order. We have been delayed in shipping on account of the strike, *all right now.* Respectfully,

L. C. TURBER.

Organs to rent, by C. B. Prescott Office at Hand's book store, first door west of the post office.
June 30—dtf.

It is Generally Admitted

that there cannot be anything more exquisitely delicate for perfuming the handkerchief than MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER, but its great and distinctive property is its adaptability to the uses of the bath. It is the only perfume that we know of ESPECIALLY AND PARTICULARLY suited to use in this way; the power it has of imparting to the waters of the bath great soothing, refreshing and invigorating effects, is peculiar to itself.

Aug. 21 d&w1m

An Elegant Assortment of Children's Suits, just received at B. Stine's Clothing Store, Central Block, old square
Aug. 31 d fri sat tu&th 2w

Fall Hats.—I am now showing a splendid line of soft and stiff hats, in all grades, and at very low prices.

S. T. KEELER,
Aug20-d&w1m] 13, E Main St.

Ferriss! Ferriss! Ferriss! Why do you sell so cheap? [aug10—dtf

CANADIAN OIL!

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Unrivalled in its

Speedy and Sure Cure!

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FOR MAN AND BEAST.

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FOR MAN.	Canadian OIL, FOR Man & Beast	FOR BEAST
Neuralgia, Swelling, Ear-Aches, Tooth-Aches, Rheumatism, Soreness, Lame Back, Stiffness, Sore Throat, Diptheria, Cankers, Bruises, Sprains and		Sweeny, Ring-bones, Strains, Callous, Sweus, Hurts, Wind-galls, Curbs, Botts, Cattle and Sheep Complaints, and General Diseases of Stock.

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The Canadian Oil is for sale at "OUR DRUG STORE," by

S. M. IRWIN,

S. W. Cor. P. O. Block, Decatur, Ill.

Being well recommended by all Druggists, Physicians and every one who has ever used it. Try one bottle and be convinced.

PRICE, PER BOTTLE, 75 CTS.

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PREPARED BY

H. H. Palmer, M. D.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

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BRANCH OFFICE:

Indianapolis, Indiana.

May 17, 1877—d&od wly

PACIFIC HOUSE,

CORNER OF WILLIAM AND MILL STS., No. 30, known as the Hockaday House, is now prepared to keep Boarders at the rate of $3 50, and $4.00 per week.

House feed for 25 cents.

DOUGLAS MORRIS, Proprietor.

Decatur, May 1, 1877—dtf

CHEAP CHARLEY,

"Cheap Charley,"

—THE—

POPULAR CLOTHIER

Adds weekly New Goods to his already large stock of

CLOTHING!

OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE.

HATS AND CAPS!

Always the Latest Styles.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

The Cheapest and Best in the market.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

At unusually Low Prices—One Price Only.

Goods taken back and money refunded if not satisfactory.

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KAUFMAN & BACHRACH,

Corner East Main and Water Streets.

Decatur, Illinois.

August 23, 1877—d&wtf

CARPETS!

BRUSSELS CARPETS!

Sixty-seven pieces—choice styles. Also a choice line o.

INGRAIN CARPETS.

NEW STOCK OF TWO AND THREE-PLY CARPETS, ALL AT LOW PRICES. ALSO, LACE CURTAINS AND WINDOW SHADES

ABEL & LOCKE

No. 24 East Main St., Decatur, Ills.

N. B. Liberal deductions to ministers and churches. [may7 dtf

N. LAUX & BRO.

HAVE OPENED A

New Undertaking Establishment

Two Doors South of the Saint Nicholas Hotel.

We we have engaged the services of a Practical Undertaker to superintend all Funerals, having a Fine Hearse and Carriages, and a large supply of

Wood & Metallic Caskets.

We solicit a share of public patronage.

COFFINS!

TRIMMINGS and SHROUDS, at Wholesale.

—o—

ST. NICHOLAS

LIVERY, FEED

—AND—

SALE STABLE.

First-Class Outfits.

N. LAUX & BRO.

v1, 1877—d&wtf

Revolvers 7 shot $3 00, 70 kinds. Guns & Rifles $5 to $500. Monster Ill. Cat. for 3 ct. stamp. WESTERN GUN WORKS, Chicago Ill

Glass Fruit Jars,
Mason Fruit Jars,
Protector Fruit Jars,
Standard Fruit Jars,
Tin Fruit Cans,
Fruit Can Cement,

ALL AT WHOLESALE PRICES,

At LIDDLE'S.

Garden & Lawn Vases
Flower Trellises,
Statuary for Lawn and Garden,
Elegant Flower Pot Stands,
Flower Pot Brackets,
Sand Forms for Cut Flowers,
Fancy Water Sprinklers,

At LIDDLE'S.

One thousand dozen Fruit Jars in store at Wholesale Prices,

At LIDDLE'S.

June 16—d&wtf

PROFESSIONAL.

E. P. BARTLETT,

Physician and Surgeon!

Office, on Prairie street, over the "Globe" boot and shoe store, next to "Our Drug Store."

HAVING located permanently in Decatur for the practice of my profession, I would respectfully ask the citizens of Decatur and vicinity to give me a share of their patronage, guaranteeing on my part scientific treatment in all cases. Will be found at my office at all hours, day and night, unless professionally engaged elsewhere.

Special attention given to diseases of women and children.
July 18 1877—dawly

S. J. BUMSTEAD, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

—AND—

OCULIST AND AURIST,

(Successor to Dr. J. W. Routh,)

DECATUR, - - - ILLINOIS

OFFICE—On East Main street, formerly occupied by Dr. Routh Residence, No. 2 West Eldorado street.
May 28, 1877—d&w3mos.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,

Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.

Office over the Decatur National Bank, Special attention to matters in probate and chancery.
Decatur, Ill., April 6, 1877—dawly

R. C. DAWKINS. A. B. CUNNINGHAM

DAWKINS & CUNNINGHAM,

DENTISTS!

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

OFFICE OVER RUCKER, HAMMER & CO.'S BANK. [dec28-wif

A. ROBERTSON SMALL, M. D.

OFFICE—No. 8 E. Main street—Up-stairs. RESIDENCE—No. 17 S. Union St., Decatur, Illinois.

Special attention given to Obstetrics and diseases of women and children.

OFFICE HOURS. } 2 to 4 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
March 28, 1877—wtf

MAXWELL & WALKER,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW AND NOTARIES Public. Deeds, mortgages and all kinds of contracts written. Loans negotiated at nine per cent. interest on farm property in Macon and adjoining counties. All wanting money call and see us. Office, one door east of the post-office, over Kern's store.
Sept. 16, 1876—d&wtf

D. L. BUNN. EDWIN PARK.

BUNN & PARK

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

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OFFICE:—No. 14 East Main Street—Up Stairs. April, 76dtf

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery. FELIX B. TAIT Notary Public.

BROWN & TAIT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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Office, 21 North Water street, over Fenton's Clothing store. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to.
July11-dawly.

P. B. Sparks, M. D.

HOMEOPATHIST,

Decatur, Illinois, over the Post Office.

All calls promptly responded to in the city or country, night or day. Residence, No. 40 West Wood street.
August 16, 1876—dtf

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. RESIDENCE—No. 49 North Main street.
June 18, 1873—d&mos*

J. Stebbins King, M. D.;

FORMERLY resident physician St. John's Hotel for Invalids, Cincinnati, Ohio; late of United States Army; Surgeon in charge of Mississippi State Hospital, and general practitioner, Natchez, Miss.

OFFICE—In Post Office Block, entrance Reading Room stairs, Decatur, Illinois.

Residence, No. 40 North Main street
Jan 17, 1876—d&w tf

T. S. HOSKINS,

DENTIST!

Offers his professional services to the people of Decatur and vicinity. Work guaranteed of the best quality.

OFFICE—Over Heldman's grocery store, merchant street, Decatur, Ill
May 28, 1875-dawtf.

HARVEY PASCO,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public, Solicitor of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office, over Busher's shoe store, E. Main street, Decatur, Ill.

Special attention given to bankruptcy and general collecting business.
June 1, 1875—d&wtf.

B. I. STERRETT,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

OFFICE—Southeast cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's dry store. [June 1-d&wt

E. E. ELDRIDGE. J. C. HOSTETLER.

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store [july 3, 1874-dly

A. BROWER BUNN.

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW, Office in Central Block, over Wingate [illegible] store, Merchant street
August 8, 1875—dtf

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 18, 1873-dwtf.

H. F. CHILDS,

VETERINARY SURGEON.

—o—

Professional calls made at any hour during the day or night.

Office, at Hildebrandt's drug store.
August 10, 1877—wtf

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers
R. J. HAMSHER, J. R. MOSSER.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Sept. 18.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of the several townships of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a county convention, to be held at the Court House, in Decatur, on

Saturday, September 22, 1877,

at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of County Clerk, County Treasurer, County Judge and County Superintendent of Schools, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The several townships and voting districts will be entitled to the following number of delegates, being one for each 50 votes, and one for each fraction of 25 votes over 50 votes of the vote cast for Hayes, to-wit:

Decatur—1st district, 8; 2nd district, 6; 3rd district, 5, 4th district, 4; Austin, 2; Blue Mound, 2; Friends Creek, 3, Hickory Point, 2; Harristown, 2; Illini, 2, Long Creek, 2; Milam, 1; Maroa, 3; Mt. Zion, 2; Macon, 4; Niantic, 2, Oakley, 2; Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 2; Whitmore, 3—Total, 61.

By order of the County Central Committee,
JOHN A. BARNES, Sec'y.

THE Clerk of the House of Representatives figures up a Democratic majority of eleven in the next House.

S. S. SMITH, (the Greenback sage of Kewanee), writes to the Chicago *Tribune* to deny the statement of Phocion Howard, of the Tuscola *Review*, that his firm had been sold under mortgage.

KIMBALL heads one of his columns "The Growler"—just as though that were necessary Nothing but a waste of display type.

IT is rumored at Salt Lake that John W. Young is about to take a new wife, in the person of Luella Cobb, whose mother is one of Brigham's widows Luella is about 17 years old.

SPENCER, the runaway president of the Chicago State Savings Bank, was very considerate. He left $1.79 to his own credit. The first thing the assignee knows he will be writing back for it from some place in Europe where we have no extradition treaty.

NILES G. PARKER, State Treasurer of South Carolina from 1868 to 1872, has made what the Democratic papers call "a clean breast of it," and has told a story of his experience in South Carolina politics which involves Governor Chamberlain and many other prominent Republicans in the grossest frauds. Governor Chamberlain, has been interviewed, and pronounces Parker's story false, and says he is ready to face his accusers at any time. He also shows that the story is an old one, the charges having been made against him at divers times in the State. We are very ready to believe Governor Chamberlain, first because whatever else may be said against him no dishonest act has ever been traced to his door, and, secondly, because during his last administration the people of all parties united in proclaiming his strict integrity. The Democratic party particularly is estopped from repeating these charges, for, with the facts before them, they indorsed Chamberlain's acts, and came within a few votes of nominating him for Governor. We venture to predict that the story, so far as he is concerned, will be found without foundation. And "false in one false in all."—*Inter Ocean.*

IT is quite possible that President Hayes will be placed before long in the lamentable condition of a well-meaning public man sadly in need of salvation from his friends. At present he has nothing to fear from his enemies, if, indeed, a good square enemy is not the only real luxury which he is not allowed to enjoy. He is, however, in real danger from his friends. This thought occurs to us especially on reading the laudation of the President by Wade Hampton, and the laudation of Wade Hampton by such newspapers as the Chicago *Tribune* and the Cincinnati *Commercial.* Mr. Hampton made a speech at Rockford, Ill., the other day, in which he lauded the President and his policy; but he did much more than this. On the tumult of applause created by the announcement that throughout the South, thanks to the "policy," everything was now lovely, he took occasion to float a little of the doctrine of State soverignty so dear to the Carolina heart. Said he, speaking to the veteran volunteers of Illinois, "I did as you did, I stood by my State." And the Cincinnati *Commercial* and the Chicago *Tribune* hasten to praise the speech as a whole, and Mr. Hampton goes home to tell his people how joyfully the new application of the doctrine of State rights was received in Illinois. If poor old Dick Yates were living, how he would protest against such an interpretation of the rush to the front which he organized in the early days of the rebellion. He, at least, could tell of a time when the soldier boys of Illinois did not "stand by their State." It was in 1862, when Democrats of Mr Hampton's stripe got possession of the Legislature at Springfield, and tried to make Illinois an ally of South Carolina in the work of rebellion.—*Globe Democrat.*

S. Einstein is selling 16 yds of the best dark prints for $1. Sept10d1w.

HOME INFLUENCES.

[Indianapolis Journal.

If it be true in general, as a celebrated writer has said, that "the strength of a nation is in the intelligent and well ordered homes of the people," it is especially true of a republican nation. Family government is the germ of all government, and other things being equal, that nation will be the happiest and best governed where the true idea of the family exists in its highest and best development. It is here that children—the future citizens and sovereigns of a nation—get their first lessons in self control and imbibe their first ideas of justice, of the enforcement of law and discipline, of the rights of property, and, in fact, of nearly all the principles which lie at the foundation of good government. It has been shrewdly said that if a man were permitted to write the songs of a nation he need not care who made its laws; but this is an insignificant power compared with that of shaping and moulding the minds of the young at that period of life when all impressions are deep and lasting. It follows that the question how to construct a well ordered home, one in which the ideas of discipline and government shall be happily blended with those of attractiveness and enjoyment, is one of great importance in a social and political point of view. A home without discipline and government is a mere bear garden, while one without attractions is something much worse. These two ideas, love for home and respect for home government and parental authority, should go hand in hand in the formation of the model American home. How to enforce discipline without making home repulsive or irksome, how to make it delightful and attractive without relaxing discipline, is a problem in statesmanship which parents have to solve, and which is quite as difficult and important over presented in congress or cabinet. American ideas on this subject have undergone a great change during the last generation or two. Fathers, as a general rule, are not so stern as they used to be, and home government not nearly so rigid. Parents are more companions for their children. This is an admirable and commendable change within certain limits, but if it pass the point of enforcing respect and administering family government with a firm and steady hand, bad results most surely follow. Experienced school teachers say they can tell by the conduct of pupils at school whether they are accustomed to good home government. If children are not taught obedience and submission to law in early life it will go hard with them to learn it later, and they may never fairly acquire the habit. The same may be said of other habits equally necessary to the formation of good citizens, as honesty, truthfulness, temperance, etc. All these and many other principles of equal importance must be learned, if learned at all, at the hearth stone, which may therefore with strict propriety be termed the school of statesmanship and the nursery of national strength and greatness. But in order to secure for home its greatest influence and its true position in the economy of life it must be made attractive. Thus only can it be made the rallying place of the affections. To make home so pleasant that every member of the family shall prefer it to any other place, constitutes along with the idea of family government the very perfection of a true home. A great change for the better in this regard has taken place within the last generation or two. Mere ultitarianism is less regarded and and the esthetic idea has far greater recognition than formerly. To beautify her home and render it attractive is now one of the chief delights of every intelligent American woman. On the whole, there is reason to believe that the home sentiment was never more powerful for good than it is at present, and that the average American home is approaching nearer and nearer to the true ideal.

A QUEER FREAK.

Brigham Young's Alleged Mother Declared to be B gus.

The woman near Martinsville, Indiana, who claims to be the mother of Brigham Young, is flatly contradicted by Dr. J. P Barnum, of Louisville, who says that himself and Brigham Young were raised in the same county, near Lansing, New York, though the doctor was not born when Brigham left that county and went west He says that Mrs. Young died when Brigham was about fifteen years of age, and that he has often seen her grave, which is situated on Ben. Wegger's farm near Lansing, and only a few miles from his old home. From the old people in the neighborhood Dr. Barnum says he gathered a great deal of information of the boy Brigham and his mother. Having left the country soon after the death of his mother, he became a wanderer and adventurer; but during his mother's life he was remembered as a very studious, industrious boy, and very much devoted to his mother. The family being very poor, he devoted most of his time to hunting and fishing for their support. One of his great characteristics was his taciturnity He held himself aloof from the boys of his own age, and seemed to care for nothing but to study and to work for his mother.

SENATOR BOOTH said in a recent stump speech: "My friends, you must remember, that, outside of yourself and myself, and your friends and my friends, and your wife and the woman I hope to marry, there is not absolute, entire, and immaculate perfection in more than 8,000 or 10,000 people, even in this very virtuous town."

HOW THE SHOOTERS SHOOT.

N. Y. Tribune.

Gen. Dakin was the first man to shoot, making a center, counting him 4. He was followed by Jackson, Hyde, Weber, Allen and Bruce, and again shot before the first shot was fired on the other side. Rigby was the first man to shoot for the British, at 11:24, and, as he lay on his back, with his gun resting in the V formed by his crossed legs, Sir Henry Halford stood with his eyes riveted on the target until the smoke from his rifle announced that the bullet had sped away, and the next moment the white disc appeared, indicating that he had made a bull's eye. Then the team captain's face lit up with a smile of satisfaction, and immediately after, "What's the windage?" "Give us your elevation," was asked and demanded, and the marksman following benefitted by the response. Sir Henry Halford was the second marksman to score for his side, making a center, counting him four only. He shoots from the "Fulton" position, which is lying on the back, supporting his head at the proper elevation with the left forearm, the left hand grasping the butt of the rifle, while the barrel rests in the V formed by the legs. Lieut. Fenton followed with an inner, counting. His position is called the 'prone," which is lying on the stomach, with the body supported by the elbows. The position, favorable for detecting the slightest fluctuation in the wind, is uncomfortable, and is not recommended Sir Henry Halford and most other scientific marksman, approve of the back position in preference.

As Milloer lay on his back—in the Fulton position—his first shot was watched with eager interest by the crowds back of him, and as the white disc came up, recording a bull's eye, applause rang out from along the line. Col. Fenton next shot, from the 'prone' position, and recorded a bull's eye. Humphrey dropped next in the 'prone' position—but which might more properly be called sprawling, as he takes up fully six square feet of space. Immediately after he shot the trap was opened and the danger flag shown. Everybody ran out from the butts to hear the decision of Col. Sanford, who measures every doubtful shot, and is considered very liberal in his decisions. The doubt was soon set at rest, however, by the signal being given of a "miss." Ferguson followed next, shooting from the back position, and obtained a bull's eye. Although the British team fired slowly and with a great deal of precision, Rigby's shooting was much slower than the others, and the advantage which he gained by this can better be confirmed by his good score.

DEBTS OF THE STATES.

The Bureau of Statistics at Washington has just compiled, from official documents, an approximate statement of the debts of the several states, with the following results, the computation being made to the close of 1876, except where otherwise stated in parentheses:

Maine	$ 5,129,107
New Hampshire	3,629,598
Massachusetts	33,550,461
Rhode Island	2,183,744
Connecticut	5,014,500
New York	23,315,898
New Jersey	2,396,300
Pennsylvania	22,978,951
Delaware	1,201,000
Maryland	6,276,155
Ohio	6,484,505
Indiana	1,097,755
Illinois	1,480,600
Michigan	1,892,150
Wisconsin	2,252,057
Minnesota	500,000
Iowa (1875)	545,026
Kansas	1,235,975
Nebraska	1,068,058
Virginia (1875)	29,514,426
North Carolina	28,514,426
South Carolina (1875)	7,674,705
Georgia (1875)	22,845,605
Alabama	12,574,397
Mississippi	748,094
Louisiana (1875)	21,568,432
Texas (February 1, 1876)	4,792,805
Arkansas	17,620,362
Kentucky (1875)	1,823,669
Tennessee	23,208,400
California (1875)	3,654,500
Oregon (1874)	290,477
Nevada	109,520

Colorado is reported without debt, and from West Virginia, Missouri and Florida no recent reports have been received. The debt of Georgia, after deducting the amount recently repudiated, is placed at $8,005,500.

RUSSIA AND TURKEY CONTRASTED.—Evidently, Turkey intends to strain every nerve to repel the Russian invasion, and to close the campaign with some brilliant success. But if defeated, she has left herself nothing to fall back upon. Herein the difference between the two powers is likely to manifest itself. Russia has immense resources, and has not begun to bring into the field the forces that she can command. The reinforcements dispatched to Bulgaria and Armenia constitute no serious drain upon her reserves. She has powers of endurance and recuperation utterly unknown to Turkey, and, if she chose so inglorious a method, could reduce her adversary by the simple process of tiring her out and using her up in detail.—*Boston Journal*

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

No people in the world suffer as much with Dyspepsia as Americans. Although years of experience in medicine had failed to accomplish a certain and sure remedy for this disease and its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the heart, Liver Complaint, coming up of the food, low spirits, general debility, etc., yet since the introduction of Green's August Flower we believe there is no case of Dyspepsia that cannot be immediately relieved. 30,000 dozen sold last year without one case of failure reported. Go to your druggists, A. J. Stoner, B. F Gue & Son and Theo. Hildebrandt, and get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. Regular size 75 cents. may1d&w1y1

TELEGRAPHIC

HAYES.

HIS RECEPTON AT LOUISVILLE.

Speeches by the President and Others.

GRANT IN SCOTLAND.

The War in the East.

MORE SUCCESSES BY THE TURKS.

LONDON, Sept. 17—Telegraphic delays cause confusion of dates of dispatches from the theater of war, and lead to misinformation. There has been no serious engagement since the defeat of Gen. Skobeloff on Wednesday, in which he lost half his command. The *Daily News*, strong pro-Russian, thus sums up the morning's intelligence: Looking impartially at the facts presented this morning, we are unable to form any other conclusion than that the attack on Plevna has not only failed, but so failed that it can not be renewed under conditions in which the Russian commander finds himself placed He has attempted what great German commanders never attempted in their French campaign, and has used up the slight superiority of men with extraordinary rapidity. He is liable to be attacked at any given part of his front by a force larger than any which he can assemble there. In a word he is beaten. The battle reported at Dubnik in which the Russians were said to have been defeated, must have been, if at all, the village five miles northwest of Vratza, on the Rahova road. Reports say Osman Pasha has fortified a position almost impregnable, naturally, at Vratza, on which he will retire if driven from Plevna. Anyhow the Roumanain attempt to cut his communications seem to have failed. Chefvet Pasha, leader in the Bulgarian massacres, has been sent to command Osman Pasha's reserves at Orkanich and guard his communications, probably, also with a view of keeping eye on Servia.

LONDON, September 17.—The following special is received:

Bucharest, Sunday Night—Colonel Wellesley has just arrived from the Russian headquarters before Plevna. He reports all quiet. Military operations really closed Wednesday evening, when the Turks recaptured the double redoubt taken by Skobeloff. When the Russian commander in chief could not or would not send re enforcements to hold this redoubt, it was only too evident the attacks were at an end.

An immense proportion of officers were killed or wounded. Only one commander of a regiment is alive, and scarcely a head of battalion is left. Two officers of staff are killed, one of whom was Voradstchagin, brother of the great artist.

A correspondent writes: "I saw Gen. Skobeloff in his tent at night. He was quite calm and collected. He said: 'I have done my best; I could do no more. My detachment is half destroyed; my regiments do not exist; I have not an officer left; I have lost three guns."

"Why did they refuse you re enforcements, who was to blame?"

"I blame nobody," he replied, "It was the will of God."

The Russians have not, however, abandoned their position, and do not seem disposed to do so.

Suleiman Pasha has effected a junction with Mehemet Ali. It seems probable their combined forces may attempt something against the army of the Czarowitch, although the Imperial Guard, now arriving rapidly, may put another face of the affair.

The town and Fortress of Bielka have unconditionally surrendered to the Montenegrins.

BOZEMAN, MONT., Sept. 17.—A courier has just arrived from Crow Agency, with an official dispatch from Gen. Sturgis. He says, in substance, the Nez Perces flanked them and proceeded down Clark's Fork. He followed them two days, and came upon them on the Yellowstone, about seven miles below the mouth of Clark's Fork, and fought them nearly all day. He reports that he captured several hundred horses and killed a great many Indians, losing some soldiers.

ATLANTA, GA., Sept. 17.—A full meeting of citizens irrespective of party, presided over by Mayor Augur, extended an invitation to President Hayes and cabinet to visit Atlanta, and appointed a committee of twenty, with ex Senator Miller as chairman, to meet the party at Chattanooga on next Thursday.

For Sale.—A good frame dwelling with seven rooms, eight closets and pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other improvements. Lot 100 by 150 feet, well filled with bearing fruit trees and vines. Apply at this office.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 17.—The Presidential party arrived at 11:53. President Hayes stood on the platform of the car; to his right was Mrs Hayes, Miss Evarts and others; on his left W. N. Haldeman, Gen. Harlan and others. Gen. E. H. Murray introduced Mayor Jacob, who spoke as follows:

Mr. President:—The people of Louisville, the metropolis of Kentucky, proud of their grand statesman—"Old Harry of the West," who uttered one of the noblest sentiments that ever fell from the lips of mortal man, "I would rather be right than be President"—greet joyously his disciple, that President of the United States who, at a critical period in the history of affairs, had the courage to say: "He serves his party best who serves his country best." Irrespective of party, race or sect, we welcome your Excellency gladly to our homes and bid you God speed in your labor of love, reconciliation and reform.

President Hayes announced, through Mayor Jacob, that he would address the people later in the day.

The President and his escort arrived at the Galt House at 12:40 p. m. His Excellency and Mrs. Hayes were introduced to the people by Gen E. H. Murray. Rev. Stuart Robinson made the welcoming speech, and during the remarks by Dr. Robinson, which were listened to by a vast concourse and frequently met with outbursts of loud and prolonged applause. President and Mrs. Hayes stood side by side on the platform erected from a window of the hotel, facing the multitude.

President Hayes, advancing to respond to Mr. Robinson was greeted by prolonged and loud applause. He devoted some time to mentioning the close relation which Ohio and Kentucky had borne toward each other for many years, their mutual aid of each other in Indian wars, their political preferences for many of the same Presidential candidates He was frequently applauded.

The President introduced in turn Secretary Evarts, Wade Hampton, Gov. Van Zandt, of Rhode Island, Secretary McCrary, and Judge Key, each of whom spoke briefly

Secretary Thompson spoke in a pleasant manner and with some jocular remarks, which were greeted with cheers

Secretary Schurz, in answer to shouts, came forward and paid a glowing tribute to his German fellow citizens and to the President.

The President and visiting governors lunched after speaking, and then, at 3:30, the President was escorted by military to the exposition; the school children scattering bright flowers in his path. On leaving the exposition the President and members of the cabinet proceeded to the house of Mr. Bristow to dinner.

In the evening the party visited the exposition again, when John T. Moore, president of the exposition company, delivered an address of welcome and the President responded briefly. The building was taxed to its uttermost by visitors from the whole country, and enthusiasm was universal.

The reception at the Galt House, to night, was a rarely brilliant affair, and was largely attended. Whenever Mrs Hayes appeared she was heartily cheered.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—General Grant was presented with the freedom of the burgh of Ayr, Scotland.

On Friday, ex-President Grant was presented with the freedom of the burgh of Ayr. In returning thanks he expressed the pleasure it gave him to form so close a connection with the land and home of Burns. Gen. Grant and party will now make a round of the English provincial towns in the order of Newcastle-on-Tyne, York, Sheffield, Birmingham and Leamington, whence they will go to London. They expect to proceed to Paris on the 20th of October, where they will stay six weeks. The will next visit Marseilles and Nice, and then from Genoa they will leave on board an American man-of-war to visit various ports of Spain, Malta, Sicily, Egypt and Turkey. In February the party will go to Naples, where they will stay a fortnight, and afterwards spend a month in Rome; then to Paris, visiting by the way, the principal towns of Italy. Paris will be reached again about the end of April. Here they will remain a month, and afterwards visit Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Austria, and finally visit Switzerland.

Preparations are making at Newcastle on-Tyne to receive Gen. Grant this week. He will arrive on Thursday night, and be the guest of the Mayor. On Friday he will visit various buildings and works in town, General and Magistrates Corporation and the Tyne Commissioners, and proceed down the river on a steamer and there will be a great demonstration at the mouth of the Tyne. There will be a reception in the evening. On Saturday Gen. Grant will visit Elswick Ordnance Works, and then receive addresses from bodies. In the afternoon there will be a demonstration of miners and trades, and in the evening a banquet in the Assembly Rooms. On Monday he will lay the foundation stone of the Free Library and Museum at Sunderland.

AUGUSTA, ME., Sept. 17.—At the late election a constitutional amendment regarding electors, that has not paid a poll tax for two years, legally assessed, shall vote, was defeated by 5,000 majority. An amendment to stop towns from creating debt for railroads, etc, above existing municipal debt of five per cent of valuation, was carried by 5,000.

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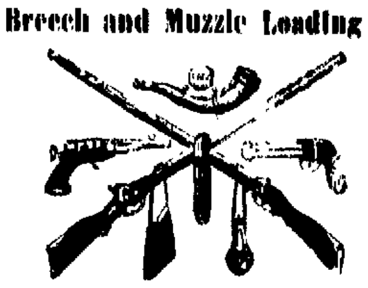

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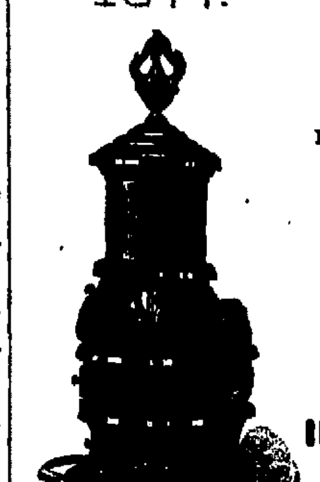

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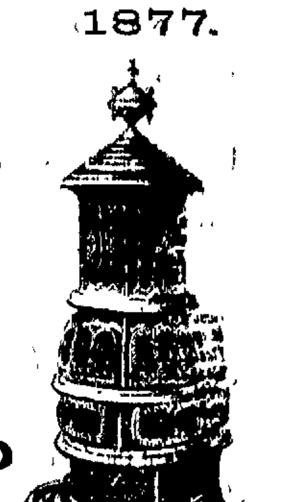

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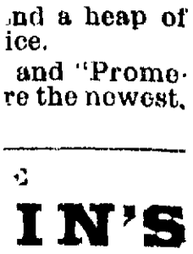

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WE are authorized to announce J. A. CRISSINGER as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN TRAINER, of Pleasant View, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN LINDSAY as a candidate for County Judge.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL P. GREER as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN E. HIBADEN, of Harristown, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools.

WE are authorized to announce Captain WILLIAM GRAHAM, of Oakley township, as a candidate for County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY W. WAGGONER as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE P. HANDY as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Schools.

J. E. KINNEY.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY MEETINGS.

SECOND DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the second district of Decatur township, are requested to meet at Benj. Dill's carpenter shop, on Thursday evening, Sept. 20th, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting six delegates to attend the county republican convention, called for the 22d inst.

JOHN A. BARNES, Chairman.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the fourth election district of Decatur township are requested to meet at the sheriff's office, on Thursday, Sept. 20th, at 7 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of selecting four delegates to attend the county convention, to be held September 23.

J. R. MOSSER, Ch'm'n.

FIRST DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the first district are requested to meet at Eldorado hose house at 7 o'clock in the evening of Thursday, Sept. 20th, for the purpose of selecting eight delegates to attend the county convention, called to meet Sept. 22nd.

D. C. SHOCKLEY, Ch'm'n.

THIRD DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the third district of Decatur township are requested to meet at the third ward hose house, at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening, Sept. 20th, for the purpose of selecting five delegates to attend the county convention, called to meet September 22d.

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..The crowds who go to the bankrupt sale of boots and shoes, at Wessels' old stand, get bargains that are worth having.

..For musical publications and instruments call on H. Post, on Merchant st. He keeps a full line and sells cheap.

..The Selden Irwin Combination is playing at Danville this week. It being the week of the Vermilion county fair. The company deserves well of the Danvillites, and we hope they may have a liberal patronage.

..For a drive about town or a trip to the depot, order Caldwell Bros.' hack. Order slate at the Priest House, and at Eclipse Livery Stable.

..Birket & Bullard make and sell the best five-cent cigars, and all other varieties.

..Best perfumeries and a full line of toilet articles may always be found at Armstrong's.

..Huffman, the Milmine murderer, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life by Judge Smith, after pleading guilty.

..Pat Ryan got on one of his big drunks last night and got into the calaboose. This morning he was served up with the usual three dollars and trimmings in Justice Peake's court.

..The September term of the Supervisors' Court convened to-day, and will probably continue in session about three days.

Decatur Guards.—This military organization is to have an out-door drill and target practice, on the afternoon of Friday, Oct. 6th, to be supplemented by a grand ball in the evening. By that time the uniforms of the company will be here, and our citizens will have an opportunity to see how the boys will appear on dress parade.

Temperance.—Elder Newcomer, formerly pastor of the Church of God in this city, will speak at the Bethel this evening, on the subject of Temperance. This is a mutual arrangement between Mr. N. and Messrs. Hoofstitler and Rowell, to accommodate those who cannot get into the court-house by reason of the crowd.

Masonic.—Regular convocation of Macon Chapter No. 21, this (Tuesday) evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work in the P. M. Degree. Visiting companions in good standing cordially invited.

A. A. MURRAY, H. P.
J. C. HOSTETLER, Sec.

Maroa Township.—The republicans of Maroa township have selected the following delegates to the county convention: C. F. Emery, A. G. Benton, Edward Foulke, Job A. Race and M. Billings.

THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.

The Interest Increasing—An Immense Crowd at the Court House Last Night—Telling Speeches—The Pledge Signed by many Men and Women.

Last evening as early as seven o'clock the large court-house was nearly full of people, who had gathered to hear the apostles of temperance, Hoofstitler and Rowell, and from that time on the tide of human beings continued to flow into the room until there was no longer room to sit or stand.

About half-past seven the exercises were opened by singing, after which prayer was offered by Rev. W. D. Best. After another song Col. Rowell addressed the meeting for a half hour in an augumentative strain, showing the whisky traffic to be the great evil of the day, and also giving an epitome of its history. In doing so he went back to the bible times, and showed how strong drink was used to carry various points, and cited the case of Haman, who made his king drunk to secure a certain end. So he said in all ages and nations the whisky power had intruded itself into conventions and legislatures, and sought to control their actions, and in many instances had done so.

The views of the speaker were expressed in a clear and forcible manner, though some might think that his opinions were extreme as to the influence of the rum power in controlling the action of conventions. The address received the closest attention of the immense audience, and will have the effect to open the eyes of the people to an investigation of the points which he made.

Following this address was a song or two, after which Mr. Hoofstitler addressed the meeting in his characteristic manner, relating many incidents which had fallen under his observation, showing the wretchedness of those who fall victims to habits of intemperance.—Among these he dwelt at length upon the case of an intimate friend of his, who commenced as a moderate drinker, and finally died with delirium tremens. He spoke of an interview held with this man after the speaker had become a perfect wreck, in which the then moderate drinker expostulated with him as to his course. In reply to which he told his friend, "You will soon be where I am; it is only a question of time." And two years later, on visiting the village where the former moderate drinker lived, he found him reeling through the streets in a state of beastly intoxication. He then went on to relate how the man separated from his wife and children, and how that, after two years of separation, he bore from the wife to her besotted husband miniatures of herself and children, and a message of love, and how that afterward the unfortunate man went down to a drunkard's grave in a fit of delirium tremens.

The recital of this touching incident was most affecting, and moved hundreds in the audience to tears.

At the conclusion of this appeal the pledge was laid upon the table, and a large number—probably more than a hundred—came forward and signed it. Among them we noticed some who have been hard drinkers for some time, and we presume that most if not all of them fully appreciated the step they were taking, and sincerely mean to abstain from drink in the future.

In regard to the movement in general, we may say that the degree of interest awakened at so early a stage of the meetings, is truly wonderful, and presents a sight such as Decatur has not seen for many years. Should the interest increase as it has done in the last three days, no room in the city will hold a tithe of the people who will flock to the meetings. The public seems to be thoroughly aroused, and the excitement seems to reach out among all classes.

While the signing of the pledge was going on several songs were sung, and the large audience seemed inclined to remain to the last.

Another meeting was announced for this evening, at the same place, when doubtless there will be as large a crowd as gathered last evening.

The gentlemen who conduct these meetings seem to be very candid, and their remarks are entirely free from anything like harsh or abusive language, and we hope their visit to the city will be the means of much good.

Still Another.—In our announcement column to-day will be found the name of John T. Montgomery as a candidate for county superintendent of schools, subject to the action of the Republican county convention. Mr. Montgomery has made teaching his business for the last eight years, and has all this time been connected with the schools of Macon county, which gives him a thorough acquaintance with their condition and needs. As a teacher he has been eminently successful and popular, and should he be elected to the county superintendency he would bring to its duties the qualifications essential to their efficient discharge.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Mr. J. H. Park, one mile south of Harristown, Sept. 13th, by Rev. D. E. May, MR. THOMAS B. GRAHAM, of Illiopolis, and MRS. MARY E. MARTIN, of Harristown.

The couple made a splendid appearance. The ceremony and congratulations over, we were introduced into the dining hall, where there were viands in profusion to tempt the appetite, arranged in the most perfect order, and presided over with the greatest ease and dignity by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Park. Everything passed off pleasantly and this was one of the most enjoyable occasions we have witnessed for a long time.

D. E. M.

CIRCUIT COURT.

August Term, 1877.

MONDAY, SEPT. 17—AFTERNOON.

Court convened at one o'clock, and empannelled a jury for the next two weeks.

The case of The People vs. Oliver Kincaid, indicted for larceny, was called. The state's attorney proposed to strike the case from the docket, with leave to reinstate. To this defendant's attorney objected, and insisted upon a trial by jury, which was proceeded with at once, the case going to the jury at the hour of adjournment. Verdict of guilty returned.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 18.

Court convened at 8 o'clock.

The case of The People vs. Alman A. Locke and Pardon T. Locke, was called, the charge being obtaining goods under false pretenses. Trial by jury, pending which court adjourned to one o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. D. H. Claypool, of Niantic, was in the city to-day, and called at the REPUBLICAN office.

Mr. A. G. Benton, of Maroa, paid his respects to the REPUBLICAN office yesterday.

Miss Judd, one of the high school teachers, who has been ill at Normal, returned to the city yesterday, and resumed her place in her classes.

Mr. W. H Linn, of the firm of Linn & Scruggs, has returned from New York, whither he went some time since to purchase goods.

Charlie Barnes will start to-night for Cambridge, Mass., to begin a three years' course of study in the law school of Harvard University.

Hon. Wm. Young and wife, of Pennsylvania, who have been visiting their relatives in and about Decatur, leave to-night for their home, near Philadelphia. Mrs. Young will be remembered by many of our citizens, who knew her before her marriage, as Miss Sallie Sawyer.

Capt. S. M. Lake, chief of the Inspection Division of the Post Office Department, arrived in town last evening, on his annual visit to his brother, J. C. Lake, Esq. Capt. L. is accompanied by his wife and daughter, and by Robert Downing, Esq., a cousin of Judge Greer.

Elder W. B. Allen, pastor of the Bethel congregation in this city, will leave to-morrow for Martinsville, Clark county, this State, to attend the Southern Illinois and Indiana Eldorship of the Church of God, which convenes at that place on to-morrow evening. He will be absent about two weeks, and his pulpit will be supplied during his absence by Elder I. E. Boyer.

A Lucky Fall.—Yesterday a couple of chaps who were evidently not as yet subjects of the temperance revival, got so much benzine down their necks that they took a kind of zigzag course as they perambulated the walks of the city, and when near the location of the old water tank on East Main street, one of them hit his foot against some slight obstruction in the walk which sent him sprawling upon the ground. The interesting feature of the fall was the breaking of a flask which he had in his coat pocket, and which, from the amount spilled, must have been about full. The loss of the whisky seemed to be a sore affliction to them both, for, to use their own language, neither of them had a "red left" with which to get any more. After bewailing their loss for a few moments, they staggered on their way, seriously reflecting, no doubt, upon the uncertainty of earthly things. This was one of those cases in which an affliction was a blessing—temporarily at least.

Arrest for Attempt at Blackmail.—Yesterday Officer Brockway went to Pana for the purpose of arresting James H. Clark, who has figured somewhat in the police courts of the city during the last year under sundry charges. In this case the charge against him is that of attempting to extort money from Mr. Brooker, who is charged with the murder of Sam Dychus, by threatening to testify before the Grand Jury and in court to facts that would tend to convict Brooker of the crime with which he stands charged. This morning he was brought before Justice Peake, but as no one appeared to prosecute, he was discharged. He was, however, soon re-arrested on the same warrant and taken before Justice Albert, where the case was pending at noon.

The First of the Season.—Frost was visible on plank walks to early risers this morning, it being the first of the season. So far as we have been able to learn the freeze was not sufficient to affect vegetation, and the probability is that it will hasten the ripening of corn by checking the growth of the leaves and drying the sap in the stalk.

Strayed, from Caldwell's Livery Stable, a small, bay saddle mare, with white stripe in face, quilted saddle and bridle on. A suitable reward will be paid for her return. *

The Cheapest Hamburg Embroideries yet Offered, just received by LINN & SCRUGGS.

Go and see those elegant infant's shoes at Ferriss', just received in every variety. aug10—dtf

The Handsomest and Cheapest

BLACK SILKS

ever opened in Decatur, at

April 7—dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

The Best Drug Store in Central Illinois

On account of ill health we are compelled to dispose of the best located and freshest stock of drugs in Decatur.—Stock between $5,000 and $6,000. Will exchange for good real estate, or give a cash bargain. For particulars enquire at this office. [Sept 17 d1w

Have you seen the new, upright Haines Piano? Mrs David Hamsher has just purchased of A. Reed & Sons, (Reeds Temple of Music, Chicago), through their general travelling manager, F. T. Locke, one of the Orchestral Grands. It is a beautiful instrument; price $1,000. Locke has just received notice that Reed & Sons have shipped him five more of them, upright, with orders to sell them at wholesale prices. Now is a good time to buy.

Sept. 17—d2d w1

"Don't You Forget It?"—There will be an excursion over the Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur R. R, from Pekin to Saint Louis and return, on Thursday, Sept. 20th. Fare for round-trip, only $3.00. Leave Decatur at 9:15 a. m., and arrive at St. Louis at 2:00 p. m. Leave Saint Louis at 7:30 p. m., Sept. 21st. Tickets for sale at Abbott's jewelry store and at Hand's book and music store. Excursion for the benefit of the M. E. church, Mt. Pulaski, Ill. [Sept 17-d3d

MURDER WILL OUT.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friend how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of Green's August Flower became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense, druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your druggists, A. J. Stoner, Theo. Hildebrandt, or B. F. Gue & Son, and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it; three doses will relieve any case. Regular Size only 75 cents. may1d&w1y 2

For Rent—A good story and a half house, on North Water street, with seven rooms and summer kitchen. Apply at this office. [June 8 dtf

Phaetons for the Ladies, Fine Horses, perfectly safe, at Caldwell Bros.' Eclipse Stables [May 29 dtf

Go and see those elegant and stylish gents' shoes at Ferriss'; new fall styles. Aug. 10—dtf

Mrs. Hall has returned to the city ready to do stamping and other work. Will be found for the present over Imbodon's, on south Main street.

Sep12d6t MRS. M. B. HALL.

Patents procured by L. P. Graham, at 88 West Wood street. [July 31 d1y

Honey.—Sherrick's honey for sale at Billy Niedermyer's grocery store, at 15 cents per pound. [Sept14-d1w

Buy one ton of block coal and try it, and you will never use any other kind. Aug. 28-dtf

The Patent Comfort Corsets, for ladies and children, Bortines' Adjustable Duplex Corset, Madam Foy's Skirt Supporter Corsets, Moody's Abdominal Corsets, Glove Fitting Corsets, the Hundred Bone Corsets, for misses and young ladies, together with the largest and best assortment of French corsets in the city, very cheap at

dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Everything for the Sewing Machine, at the Singer Office.

June 6—d&w3m

Gents' Fine Furnishing Goods, including the best white and colored shirts, cheaper than ever at Keeler's Hat Store. [Aug29-d&w1m

Two Dollars will buy the very best Jeans Pants in market, at B. Stine's. Aug 21-dood3w

Good Driving Horses, perfectly safe for the ladies, with two of the finest phaetons in the State, at Caldwell Bros.' Eclipse Stables. [May 29 dtf

RIBBONS Great Barguins—Only 15 and 20 cents—worth 25c to $1.00 per yard.

March 31 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

The Indiana Coal Company keeps all kind of coal. Principal office, at Chrisey's tobacco store, two doors west of the Postoffice. Call and examine our price list. [aug27-dtf

If you want to buy a hat of any description or price, call at my hat store, 13 East Main st. I will sell it *low*,

Aug20dawlm. S. T. KEELER.

Mme. Demorest's Fall and Winter Patterns just received at Linn & Scruggs'. Call for Catalogue. Sept. 7-tf

The Indiana Coal Company delivers coal in any part of the city free of charge. aug27-dtf

Hemp Carpets reduced from 15 cents to 12½ per yard, at

May 15-dtf] LINN & SCRUGGS.

For Bargains in Dress Goods, black Alpacas and Cashmeres, call at S. Einstein's. [Aug 24 d1w

Ladies, you can get spring shoes, at greatly reduced prices, at.

May 30 d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S.

CARPETS Within the past few days we have added largely to our stock of Brussels and Ingrain carpets, in new and handsome styles.

May 10 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

THE CENTRE OF VITALITY.

The life of the flesh and the brain, the bones and the muscles, is the blood. It is the centre of vitality, the nutriment of the system. Not only must it be pure, but rich, in order to retain health. In the feeble and devitalized, the life current is watery and its circulation sluggish. The muscles of such persons lack solidity, the nerves are weak, the visage haggard, and the eye lustreless. A course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, however, improves not only the health but the appearance of the debilitated and nervous. Nutrition then becomes complete because digestion receives an impetus from this benignant tonic, which fertilizes the blood, brings back "the rose tint of health" to the wan cheek, brightness to the eye, and gives power of endurance to the muscle. Invalids hasten to use it! deodw1.

A Large Lot of the best dark calico remnants, at 5c per yard at S. Einstein's Sept10d1w

Wood's Oyster Parlor is the place to get an elegant dish of oysters nicely served. Sep10dtf

Marked Down.—We propose to sell our large spring stock of boots and shoes, if low prices will do it. Try us, and get our prices.

BARBER & BAKER'S.

May 30 d&w1w

The Biggest Bargain ever offered is B. Stine's $2.00 Jeans Pants.

Aug. 21 deod2w

Oysters.—If you want a first-class dish of oysters, in any style, go to

Sept. 1—d1mo MARTIN'S.

Latest Styles, lowest prices on all grades of hats at Keeler's Hat Store.

Aug29-d&w1m

A Fresh Lot of Cassimeres for gentlemen's wear, just received at S. Einstein's. [Aug 24 d1w

Call and See the beautiful new dress goods at astonishing low prices at S. Einstein's. Sep10d1w

You Can Buy 12 yds of soft finished yard-wide bleached muslin for $1, at S. Einstein's. Sep10d1w

S. Einstein has just returned with a large and elegant stock of late style dry goods, notions, etc.

Re-opened—Wood's Restaurant, for the oyster season. Fresh oysters served in any style. Meals cooked to order at all hours. [Aug. 22 dtf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, Sept. 6, 1877.

RETAIL.

Lard, per pound	15
Ham, " "	13@15
Shoulder " "	10
Potatoes, per bushel	50
Onions, per peck	30
Apples, "	20
Peaches, per box	70
String beans " "	25
Green Corn, per dozen	8@10
New Beets, " peck	25
Sweet potatoes, per peck	60
Cucumbers, per dozen	10
Turnips, per peck	20
Tomatoes, per peck	25
Chickens, each	20@25
Cabbage, per head	5@10
Cider, per gallon	10
Vinegar, " "	30
Eggs, " dozen	10
Butter packed, per pound	20
" fresh "	20@25
FLOUR—white wheat, ₰ hundred	1.60
" red " "	1.50
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.90
CORN MEAL—₰ bushel	70
RYE—₰ bushel	50
CORN—₰ bushel	40@50
" shelled, per bush	50
HAY—Timothy, ₰ ton	8.00@9.00
OATS—₰ bushel	25

WHOLESALE.

WHEAT—Best white, per bushel	1.10
" red, " "	1.00
CORN—per bushel	28
OATS—" "	26
BUTTER—₰ lb	10@15
EGGS—per doz	8
LARD—₰ lb	13
BACON—Sides	12
HAMS—sugar-cured	12½
SHOULDERS—per lb	8@10
HOGS—Live, per hundred	5.50@6.00
CATTLE—" "	4.75
POTATOES—per bushel	40
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	05

Straw Millinery.

MRS. B. R. Van HOUTEN

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that she is prepared to do

All Kinds of Straw Millinery

An experience of forty years assures her that she is entirely competent to *give perfect satisfaction* to those who may favor her with their patronage.

Residence—Cor. of West Main and Church streets, Decatur, Ill.

Furs, Furs, Furs!

ALFRED CLERK,

PRACTICAL FURRIER,

Dealer in

HATS, CAPS,

FURS AND MILLINERY.

Old Furs Altered, Cleaned and made to Look Like New, at

24 MERCHANT ST.,

SIGN OF THE BEAR.

Sept. 3, 1877—d2mos

NOTICE TO

CONTRACTORS!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed proposals will be received by the City Council of the city of Decatur, Illinois, up to 7½ o'clock, Sept. 24th, 1877, as follows:

For guttering and curbing East Main street from the Old Square to Water street.

The necessary gravel for said work will be furnished to the contractor at the gravel bank belonging to said city, ready for loading, free of cost.

The above work will be let by written contract to the lowest responsible bidder; *Provided*, that the City Council shall have the right to reject any and all bids.

The person or persons to whom the City Council may award a contract will be required to execute to said city a good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of such contract.

By order of the City Council.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 8th, 1877.

d10d GEO. P. HARDY, City Register.

AT COST!

We Will Close Out

Our Entire Stock of

LADIES' LINEN SUITS

—AND—

OVERSKIRTS AND BASQUES,

AT COST.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Decatur, July 10, 1877—d&wtf

Bankruptcy Beat!

25 PER CENT SAVED

By going to FERRISS' for your BOOTS and SHOES.

SAMPLE PRICES:

Men's	genuine (warranted) Calf Boots	$2.50
"	Heavy Boots	1.90
"	Fine Shoes	1.50
Ladies'	" Kid Side Lace Shoes	1.90
"	" Pebble Side Lace Shoes	1.50
"	" Front Lace Shoes	1.25
Slippers		.25

Etc., Etc. Everything warranted.

And we have got the sizes, width and kinds you want. Not any old-time honored shop-keepers that are not worth ten cents on the dollar, but all fresh and new and late style goods.

LUTHER L. FERRISS.

Aug. 10, 1877—d&wtf

J. H. LEWIS & CO.

—ARE OFFERING—

French, China, Tea & Dinner Sets

At Less Prices than Ever.

Decorated Dinner and Tea Sets in Parisian Porcelain; very desirable goods at reasonable prices.

Several new and handsome patterns of Dinner and Tea Ware, in iron stone china.

The largest stock of Croquet in the city at prices low enough to please almost any one.

Also, Parisian Porcelain Ware in white, either in full or partial sets.

FOR RENT.

A fine front room, suitable for office or sleeping purposes, directly over our store and overlooking the Park.

FOR SALE.

No. 1 BLACK WALNUT OFFICE DESK, with seven drawers and place for books. In first-class order.

J. H. LEWIS & CO.,

Opera House Block.

Decatur, July 11, 1877—dtf

OLD-FASHIONED

Square bar Soap is the most economical to use. Pressing and wrapping are of no possible benefit to Soap, but are done to make it look attractive and salable. *Procter & Gamble's Original Mottled German Soap* is made of *Red Oil*, the best material known for producing a hard, serviceable and effective Soap. It is cut in one-pound bars, of convenient and economical shape, and not wrapped. The style in which this Soap is cut and packed saves all useless expense, enabling us to sell a superior Soap at *much less per pound* than you are now paying for an inferior article. Every bar of the genuine stamped "*PROCTER & GAMBLE—MOTTLED GERMAN.*" Take no other. Sold everywhere.

Blenz & Danzeisen,

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

A NEW STOCK OF

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS

WEST SIDE OLD SQUARE.

We have on hand a choice lot of

Sugar-Cured Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna Sausage, and Lard at wholesale and retail.

Fresh Meats

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock.

Hams Sliced, at 20 cents per pound—best cuts.

Decatur, Feb. 21, 1877—dtf

Immense Stock of gents' shoes, just received at Barber & Baker's. They will sell you good shoes for less money than they have ever been sold in this city before. [May

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Bradford H. De Bois et. al. vs. Alfred Wuensch and Fredericke Wuensch et al.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1877, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said county,

On Thursday, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1877,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: Commencing 19 and 97-100 chains east of the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section ten (10), township sixteen (16) north, and range two (2) east of the 3rd P. M., and running north twenty-eight (28) chains and seventy-seven and one-fourth (77¼) links, thence east forty (40) chains and seventeen (17) links to the west line of right-of-way of the Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad, thence south along said line of railroad twenty-eight (28) chains and seventy-seven and one-half (77½) links, thence west to place of beginning, containing about twelve (12) acres, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Aug. 30, 1877.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ills.

Aug. 16—d30d

MALARION The greatest of all agueures, originated in Decatur in 1875. Now known and prized in over 5 States of the Union. For sale by druggists at 75 cents per bottle.

Aug. 16—dtf

The Daily Republican.

WABASH

FAST MAIL ROUTE

Now controls and operates the following Lines

Toledo to St Louis	431 *Miles*
Toledo to Hannibal	*miles*
Toledo to Quincy	471 *Miles*
Toledo to Keokuk	489 *Miles*

Connecting

Saint Louis, Hannibal,

Quincy and Keokuk,

To and from all Points in

Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Texas, Nebraska, Colorado and California,

And forming ... long between the ... and Miss and New York, Boston, and all other points in New England enabling passengers who travel by the

"WABASH FAST LINE!"

to reach the principal cities in the East and West many hours in advance of other lines. No change of cars between Cleveland and St Joseph and Atchison (810 miles) and between Toledo and Kansas City (700 miles). All Express trains of this Line are fully equipped with Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars Westinghouse's Steam Improved Air Brake and Miller's Platform and Coupler rendering accidents ... almost impossible.

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST

No 1 Through Express	60 a m
3 Fast Line	1 1 a m
5 Fast Mail	12 50 p m

GOING EAST

No. 2 Lightning Express	10 6 p m
4 Atlantic	11 10 a m
6 Accommodation	p m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going east	10 15 a m	3 10 p m
Going west	2 40 p m	

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART

No 11 Through Express	a m
13 Fast Line	a m
15 Fast Mail	12 0 p m

ARRIVE

No 12 Lightning Express	10 10 p m
14 Atlantic	a m
16 Accommodation	9 P p m

R. ANDREWS Gen l Sup t, Toledo.
H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen l Passenger and Ticket Agent, Toledo.
R. HARWOOD Agent Decatur

THROUGH TIME BY THE

I.B.&W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS	No	No 4	No 6
I B & W R R			
Lv Decatur			2 10 p m
Av Monticello			3 ...
Lv Champaign	8 10 a m	1 31 p m	...
Ar Danville	...	10 ...	1 ... a m
At Indianapolis	11 00 ...	...	4 20
At Cincinnati	1 15 p m	10 ...	8 55 ...
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11 40 a m	10 45 p m
" Tolono		1 ... p m	11 57 ...
At Danville		...	1 18 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 00 a m	11 00 p m	1 ... a m
At Cincinnati	1 0 p m	10 15 p m	8 05 a m
Dayton	1 ... p m	11 10 p m	9 15 a m
Columbus	3 ... p m	12 1 ... a m	12 16 p m
Zanesville	5 ... a m		1 10 p m
Wheeling	5 0 a m		6 10 p m
Washington	7 20 p m	9 07 p m	8 a m
Baltimore	8 10 p m	7 ... p m	7 ... a m
Pittsburg		7 50 a m	7 ... p m
Harrisburg		1 ... p m	3 0 a m
Philadelphia	3 10 a m	7 20 p m	7 ... a m
New York	... a m	10 15 p m	10 ... a m
Crestline		1 ... a m	12 0 ... p m
Cleveland,		7 10 a m	2 10 p m
Buffalo		1 05 p m	8 0 ... p m
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FROM THE EAST

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Through Freight and Accom'tion	3 ... a m

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Fast Line and Mail	10 15 a m
Through Freight and Accom'tion	12 00 p m

LEAVE DECATUR.

DEPART WEST

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DEPART.

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Express	12 ... p m
Mail	... p m

ARRIVE

Express	10 ... p m
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Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY }

Macon Count, Circuit Court

James H Alexander Guardian, vs Samuel C Mahon, Selina J Mahon Gilbert M Venable, Reuben H Merriweather, and Kilburn H Roby Trustee

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A D 1877, I John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday the 29th day of September, A D 1877,

at the hour of two o clock p m of said day shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the west door of the Court House in Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois to wit The south half of the northeast quarter of section ten (10) in township seventeen (17) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian together with all and singular the tenements hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

JOHN A BROWN
Master in Chancery for Macon county Ill
Decatur Ill August 28th 1877 d30d

Assignee's Notice.

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District Court of the United States Southern District of Illinois

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Harrison S. Nichols, of Bement Piatt county Ill who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition

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And whereas, said Vincin Morris has made default in the payment of said principal sum of the note above described, together with the accrued interest thereon, and whereas, by means of said default there is now due and unpaid the entire amount of said principal notes with interest, from the maturity of said note and application has been made to us as such trustees, by the legal holder of said note, to sell said premises in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust

Now, therefore, we, James Millikin and Jerome R Gorin trustees, as aforesaid, hereby give notice that we will, on

Saturday, the 15th day of September, A. D. 1877,

at two o clock p m of said day, at the front door of the Court House on Water street in the city of Decatur, Illinois sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described premises, and all the right, title, dower and equity of redemption of said Vincin Morris and Mary J Morris therein, to make the money due upon said note and the interest thereon

Decatur, Ill, Aug 11 1877
JAMES MILLIKIN
JEROME R GORIN
Aug 11—d1td Trustees

The above sale is postponed until TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 25th, 1877, at the hour of 2 o clock p m of said day, at the place above named JAMES MILLIKIN
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Petition for an Order to Sell Real Estate.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon county, }

In the County Court to the November Term A D 1877

George B Latch, administrator of the estate of Nancy M Latch deceased, vs Mary Klerstend Moses Lester Sarah Jane Ray and Jeremiah Baker defendants—Petition for an order to sell land to pay debts

AFFIDAVIT having been filed by George B Latch, the petitioner in the above cause in the office of the clerk of said court showing that the defendants Sarah Jane Ray and Moses Lester reside out of the State of Illinois and stating therein that the place of residence and post-office address of the said Sarah Jane Ray and said Moses Lester are both at Black Walnut Post-office, Halifax county, Virginia and stating also that the place of residence or whereabouts of Mary Klerstead is not known, and that upon due and diligent inquiry her residence, whereabouts or postoffice address cannot be ascertained. Notice is therefore given to the said Sarah Jane Ray Moses Lester and Mary Klerstead that the said George B Latch has filed his petition in said court praying for an order to sell the following described real estate, situated in the city of Decatur in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit

One-half (½) of lot No nine (9) and all of lot No ten (10) in block No four (4) in Plant & Fuller's Addition to the city of Decatur Illinois (together with the buildings etc, thereon), to pay the debts and claims against the estate of the said Nancy M Latch, deceased and that summons in said cause will be returned at the November Term, A D 1877, of said court, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county and State on the third (3d) Monday in the month of November A D 1877 Now unless you, the said Sarah Jane Ray Moses Lester and Mary Klerstead shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of the said November term thereof 1877 and plead answer or demur to the said petition, the same and the allegations contained therein, will be taken as confessed by you, and an order entered in said cause in accordance with the prayer of said petition H W WAGGONER,
Clerk of the County Court
HARVEY PASCO Solicitor for the Petitioner
Decatur, Ill, Aug 30th, 1877
Sept 6 d1w

Master's Sale.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court

Ellen C Roach vs Henry A Pasley et al

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May Term A D 1877 I John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 15th day of September, A D 1877,

at the hour of two o clock p m of said day shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit Commencing ten (10) chains and sixty one (61) links south of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section fifteen (15), township sixteen (16) north and range two (2) east of the 3d P M running thence east one chain and sixty-four and three-fourths links to the place of beginning thence south three (3) chains and four (4) links, thence east one (1) chain and sixty four and three fourths (64¾) links, thence north three (3) chains and four (4) links, thence west one (1) chain and sixty-four and three fourths (64¾) links to the place of beginning containing a half acre, all situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

Decatur, Ill, Aug 23d, 1877
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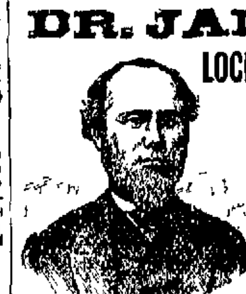

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MASTER'S SALE

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court

Hugh Mooney, executor of the last will and testament of Barney Donnelly, deceased, vs Mary Tucker—In Chancery

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December Term, A D 1876 I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Wednesday, the 26th day of September, A. D. 1877,

at the hour of two o'clock p m of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit Lot No ten (10), in William Martin's Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

JOHN A BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county Ill
Decatur, Ill, Sept. 4th, 1877—d3w

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

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WHEREAS, Shaw Pease and Amanda H Pease his wife, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by their certain deed of trust bearing date the 22nd day of May A D 1873 duly executed, acknowledged and delivered by them, and duly recorded in book No 35, of the deed records of Macon county aforesaid, on page No 33, did convey unto Charles A. Ewing, of the same county and State, the real estate hereinafter described, in trust, to secure the payment of the thirteen certain promissory notes of the said Shaw Pease, bearing even date with the said deed of trust, payable to the order of Zachariah Boughn, for the sum of nine thousand, nine hundred dollars ($9 900), purchase money, principal and interest, and falling due as follows, to-wit: The first six notes for $350,00 each, falling due respectively on the 1st days of March and September, in the years A D 1874, 1875, and 1876, the 7th, 10th and 13th notes calling for $2 333 33, $2 333 33, $2 333 34, and falling due respectively on the 1st days of March, in the years A. D 1877, 1878 and 1879; the 8th and 9th notes calling for $233 33 each and falling due respectively on the 1st day of September, 1877, and the 1st day of March, 1878, and the 11th and 12th notes for $166.67 each, and falling due respectively on the 1st day of September, 1878, and the 1st day of March 1879—each and all of said notes bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from maturity until paid;

And whereas, in and by said deed of trust it is expressly agreed and provided that if default be made in the payment of any part of the said principal sum mentioned in said notes, or if default be made in the payment of any of the interest thereon, on the day or days whereon said principal or interest shall become due and payable, the effect shall be to make the entire sum of the principal and the interest specified therein immediately due and payable, without the necessity of any demand or payment, and that thereupon it shall and may be, lawful for the undersigned trustee on application of the legal holder of said notes, after publishing notice for the sale of said premises in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, for the term of six months before the day of such sale to sell the said premises, together with all the right and equity of redemption of the said Shaw Pease and Amanda H Pease or their legal representatives, to the highest bidder for cash at the place and in the manner in said deed of trust specified,

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of a part of the principal sum of the fifth note of those above described—being a note for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, and in the payment of note No seven (7), above described, for the sum of twenty-three hundred and thirty three dollars and thirty-three cents, and whereas, by means of said default there is now due and unpaid the entire sum of notes Nos 7 8 9 10, 11 12 and 13 aforesaid, and the principal sum of said note, No 5, less a payment of $175 00, May 13th 1876 and $150 00 June 30th 1876, and the interest on said notes according to their tenor and effect; and application has been made to me, as such trustee, by the legal holder of said notes, to sell said premises in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust;

Now therefore, I, Charles A Ewing, trustee, as aforesaid, hereby give notice that I will,

On Saturday, the 29th day of September, A. D 1877,

at two o'clock p m of said day at the main entrance to the court house on Water street, in the city of Decatur Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, according to the provisions and under the powers of said deed of trust, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit The northeast quarter (¼), and the northeast quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-four, (24) in township seventeen (17) north, and range one (1) west of the third (3d) principal meridian containing two hundred acres, more or less, together with all the right and equity of redemption of the said Shaw Pease and Amanda H Pease or their legal representatives therein

CHARLES A EWING, Trustee
Decatur, Ill, March 28 A D 1877—d6mo

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Petition for an Order to Sell Real Estate.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court to the September Term A. D, 1877.

Noah Jacobs and Thomas W Parker, administrators of the estate of Lott Elliott deceased petitioners vs Elizabeth Elliott Charles Elliott, Henry Elliott Louisa Elliott, John Elliott, Lott Elliott, Emeline Etherton, William Etherton, Sarah E Price, Mary J Price, Charles Price, Mary J Mitchell, John Mitchell, George Mitchell William J. Rollins and Francis G. Hill defendants—Petition for an order to sell real estate

AFFIDAVIT having been filed by Noah Jacobs, one of the above mentioned petitioners in the office of the clerk of said court, showing that said defendants, Louisa Elliott Sarah E Price Mary J Price and Charles Price reside out of this state, and that the place of residence of the said Louisa Elliott is Darby, Delaware county, Pennsylvania and that of Sarah E Price, Mary J Price and Charles Price, is Asper, Livingston county, Missouri, Notice is therefore given to the said Louisa Elliott, Sarah E Price, Mary J. Price and Charles Price, that the said Noah Jacobs and Thomas W Parker have filed their petition in said court praying for an order to sell the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit The east half (½) of the northeast quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section No twenty-four (24) in township No sixteen (16) north of the base line, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, also one half (½) of the southeast quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of the same section, township and range and east of the same meridian, described as follows commencing twenty (20) rods west of the northeast corner of said quarter (¼), thence forty (40) rods west, thence eighty (80) rods south, thence forty (40) rods east, thence eighty (80) rods north to the place of beginning, also the east half (½) of the northwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section No twenty-four (24), in township No sixteen (16) north of the base line, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, except that part of said last mentioned tract of land which lies north of the Sangamon river, supposed to contain about seven acres, to pay the debts and claims against the estate of the said Lott Elliott, and that summons in said cause will be returnable at the September term of said court, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur in said county and State, on the Third (3rd) Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1877

Now, unless you, the said Louisa Elliott, Sarah E Price Mary J. Price and Charles Price, shall appear before said court on the first day of said term thereof and plead, answer or demur to the said petition, the allegations contained therein will be taken as confessed by you, and an order entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition H W WAGGONER,
Clerk of the County Court
ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for the Petitioners. aug18—d1w

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Petition for an Order to Sell Real Estate.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court to the September Term, A D 1877

John B. Lichtenberger, administrator of the estate of William Fry, deceased, petitioner vs Jacob Fry, Mary Hawks, Catharine Brunner and Levi Brunner, Michael Fry, John Fry, Elizabeth Fry, Susanna Lichtenberger, Lydia Hudson, Sarah Smith and James L Smith—Petition for an order to sell real estate

AN AFFIDAVIT having been filed by the petitioner John B Lichtenberger in the office of the clerk of said court showing that said defendants Jacob Fry Catharine Brunner and Levi Brunner reside out of this state and that the place of residence of the said Jacob Fry, is Manchester, York County Pennsylvania, and that of Catharine Brunner and Levi Brunner is Falkner Hill Webster county Missouri, Notice is therefore hereby given to the said Jacob Fry Catharine Brunner and Levi Brunner that the said John B Lichtenberger has filed his petition in said court praying for an order to sell the following described real estate, situate in the county of Piatt and State of Illinois, to-wit The southeast quarter (¼) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section No eighteen (18) in township No sixteen (16) north of the base line, range No five (5) east of the third (3d) principal meridian to pay the debts and claims against the estate of the said William Fry and that summons in said cause will be returnable at the September term of said court, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the third Monday in the month of September A D 1877

Now, unless you, the said Jacob Fry Catharine Brunner and Levi Brunner, shall appear before said court on the first day of said term thereof and plead, answer or demur to the said petition, the allegations contained therein will be taken as confessed by you and an order entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition
H W WAGGONER
Clerk of the County Court
ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for Petitioner aug 18 d4w

Trustee's Sale.

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WHEREAS GEORGE W WHITE and ROWENA D WHITE, his wife, by their certain deed of trust bearing date August 28th, 1871 recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, State of Illinois in book 51 page 185, did convey to Kilburn H Roby the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit Lot eight (8) in block one (1) of Martin Forstmeyer's Addition to the city of Decatur in trust, to secure payment of a certain obligation of said George W White of even date with said deed of trust, in favor of the "Savings Land, Building and Loan Association of Decatur, Illinois for the sum of five hundred dollars, according to the conditions of said obligation, and whereas said George W White and R. Wena D White by their certain other deed of trust bearing date September 4th, 1871 recorded in the Recorder's office of said Macon county in book 52 page 5 did convey to said Kilburn H Roby the above described premises in trust to secure payment of a certain other obligation of said George W White of even date with said last mentioned deed of trust in favor of the "Savings Land, Building and Loan Association of Decatur, Illinois" for the sum of one hundred dollars according to the condition of said last mentioned obligation

And whereas it is provided in said first mentioned obligation that default in payment of two and 50 100 dollars, dues and three and 50 100 dollars, interest, payable on the fourth Thursday of each month after the date of said obligation until said sum of $500 should have been liquidated under the charter and by-laws of said association, for the period of six months, shall have the effect to render said principal debt at the option of said association due and payable and whereas, it is provided in said obligation secondly mentioned, that default in payment of fifty cents dues and seventy five cents interest, payable on the fourth Thursday of each month after date of said last mentioned obligation until said sum of $100 should have been liquidated under the charter and by laws of said association for the period of six months, shall have the effect to render said last mentioned principal debt at the option of said association due and payable, and whereas, it is provided in each of said deeds of trust, that in the event of any default by said George W White upon his said obligation as herein stipulated and upon application by the president or secretary of said association, it shall be lawful for said trustee, after publishing notice in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur for four weeks prior to the day of sale, to sell the above mentioned premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and whereas default has been made in the payment of said dues and interest specified in each of said obligations for a period of six months and application has been made to the undersigned trustee by the secretary of the association, to proceed to sell said premises under the provisions of said two deeds of trust, upon which trust deeds there will be due on September 15th, 1877, $ 35 80. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by virtue of the power given in said two deeds of trust, will on the 15th day of September, A D 1877, at ten o'clock a m, at the west entrance to the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, sell at public auction for cash the above-described premises and all right, dower and equity of redemption of said George W. White and Rowena D White, their heirs and assigns therein. KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee,
Decatur, Ill, August 11, 1877—d30d

Assignee's Notice.

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District Court of the United States, South District of Illinois.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of George F. Wessels, of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition.

SAMUEL F. GREER, Assignee
Aug. 27 -d3w

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